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Department of Environmental Quality

July 16, 2004

James Boston
Public Works Manager
310 Maple Avenue
Decatur, Arkansas 72772

Re: City of Decatur NPDES Permit #AR0022292 Activity #1 Requirements

Dear Mr. Boston:

A review of the City's NPDES Permit Part III, Paragraph 8.B. Activity 1 submittal has been completed. Based on information from that industry survey, NPDES compliance history and other information, development of an approved Pretreatment Program by the City does not appear warranted at this time.

Provisions to develop an approvable Pretreatment Program (Permit Part III, paragraph 8.B - Activities 2 through 7 and paragraphs 8.C. through 8.F.) are hereby waived.

If there are any questions, please feel free to contact this office. This notification waiving specific permit requirements should be filed with your NPDES permit for reference.

Sincerely,

Martin Maner, P.E.
Chief, Water Division

cc: Steve Drown/Assistant Water Division Chief
Allen Gilliam/NPDES Pretreatment Coordinator
Lee Bohme/EPA 6WQ-PO